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### Understanding **Embedded - FPGAs (Field Programmable Gate Array)**

Embedded - FPGAs, or Field Programmable Gate Arrays, are advanced integrated circuits that offer unparalleled flexibility and performance for digital systems. Unlike traditional fixed-function logic devices, FPGAs can be programmed and reprogrammed to execute a wide array of logical operations, enabling customized functionality tailored to specific applications. This reprogrammability allows developers to iterate designs quickly and implement complex functions without the need for custom hardware.

### Applications of Embedded - FPGAs

The versatility of Embedded - FPGAs makes them indispensable in numerous fields. In telecommunications,

#### Details

Product Status	Obsolete
Number of LABs/CLBs	-
Number of Logic Elements/Cells	-
Total RAM Bits	2560
Number of I/O	202
Number of Gates	54000
Voltage - Supply	3V ~ 3.6V, 4.5V ~ 5.5V
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Operating Temperature	-55°C ~ 125°C (TC)
Package / Case	240-BFQFP
Supplier Device Package	240-PQFP (32x32)
Purchase URL	<a href="https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/microsemi/a42mx36-1pqg240m">https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/microsemi/a42mx36-1pqg240m</a>

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## 2.6 Temperature Grade Offerings

**Table 4 • Temperature Grade Offerings**

Package	A40MX02	A40MX04	A42MX09	A42MX16	A42MX24	A42MX36
PLCC 44	C, I, M	C, I, M				
PLCC 68	C, I, A, M	C, I, M				
PLCC 84		C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M	C, I, M	C, I, M	
PQFP 100	C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M	C, I, M		
PQFP 144			C			
PQFP 160			C, I, A, M	C, I, M	C, I, A, M	
PQFP 208				C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M
PQFP 240						C, I, A, M
VQFP 80	C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M				
VQFP 100			C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M		
TQFP 176			C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M	C, I, A, M	
PBGA 272						C, I, M
CQFP 172				C, M, B		
CQFP 208						C, M, B
CQFP 256						C, M, B
CPGA 132			C, M, B			

**Note:** C = Commercial  
 I = Industrial  
 A = Automotive  
 M = Military  
 B = MIL-STD-883 Class B

## 2.7 Speed Grade Offerings

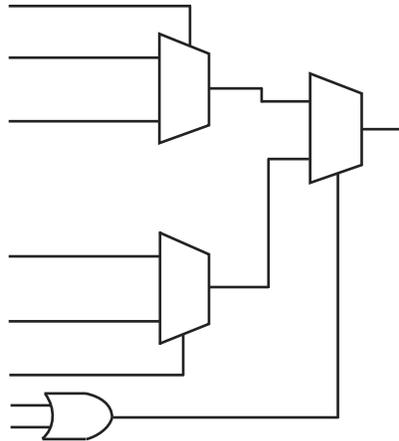
**Table 5 • Speed Grade Offerings**

	- F	Std	-1	-2	-3
C	P	P	P	P	P
I		P	P	P	P
A		P			
M		P	P		
B		P	P		

**Note:** See the 40MX and 42MX Automotive Family FPGAs datasheet for details on automotive-grade MX offerings.

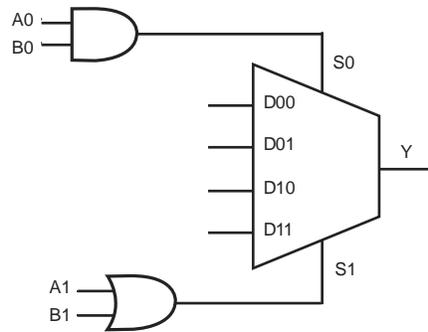
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**Figure 2 • 42MX C-Module Implementation**



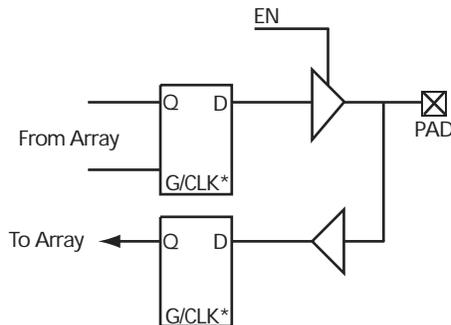
The 42MX devices contain three types of logic modules: combinatorial (C-modules), sequential (S-modules) and decode (D-modules). The following figure illustrates the combinatorial logic module. The S-module, shown in Figure 4, page 8, implements the same combinatorial logic function as the C-module while adding a sequential element. The sequential element can be configured as either a D-flip-flop or a transparent latch. The S-module register can be bypassed so that it implements purely combinatorial logic.

**Figure 3 • 42MX C-Module Implementation**



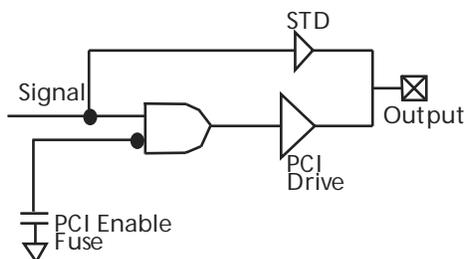
Designer software development tools provide a design library of I/O macro functions that can implement all I/O configurations supported by the MX FPGAs.

**Figure 10 • 42MX I/O Module**



**Note:** \*Can be configured as a Latch or D Flip-Flop (Using C-Module)

**Figure 11 • PCI Output Structure of A42MX24 and A42MX36 Devices**



## 3.3 Other Architectural Features

The following sections cover other architectural features of 40MX and 42MX FPGAs.

### 3.3.1 Performance

MX devices can operate with internal clock frequencies of 250 MHz, enabling fast execution of complex logic functions. MX devices are live on power-up and do not require auxiliary configuration devices and thus are an optimal platform to integrate the functionality contained in multiple programmable logic devices. In addition, designs that previously would have required a gate array to meet performance can be integrated into an MX device with improvements in cost and time-to-market. Using timing-driven place-and-route (TDPR) tools, designers can achieve highly deterministic device performance.

### 3.3.2 User Security

Microsemi FuseLock provides robust security against design theft. Special security fuses are hidden in the fabric of the device and protect against unauthorized users attempting to access the programming and/or probe interfaces. It is virtually impossible to identify or bypass these fuses without damaging the device, making Microsemi antifuse FPGAs protected with the highest level of security available from both invasive and noninvasive attacks.

Special security fuses in 40MX devices include the Probe Fuse and Program Fuse. The former disables the probing circuitry while the latter prohibits further programming of all fuses, including the Probe Fuse. In 42MX devices, there is the Security Fuse which, when programmed, both disables the probing circuitry and prohibits further programming of the device.

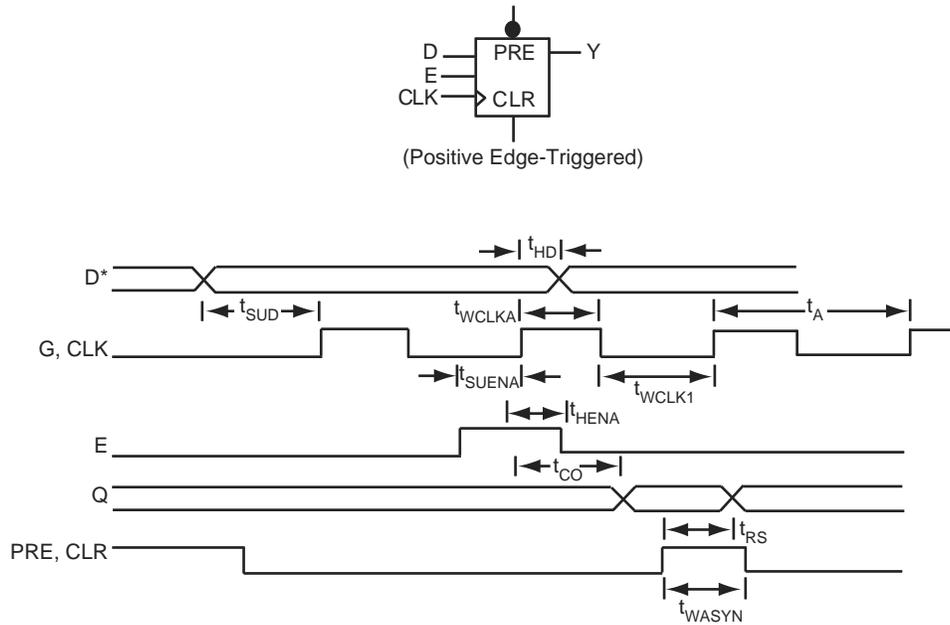
### 3.3.3 Programming

Device programming is supported through the Silicon Sculptor series of programmers. Silicon Sculptor is a compact, robust, single-site and multi-site device programmer for the PC. With standalone software, Silicon Sculptor is designed to allow concurrent programming of multiple units from the same PC.

### 3.10.2 Sequential Module Timing Characteristics

The following figure shows sequential module timing characteristics.

Figure 25 • Flip-Flops and Latches

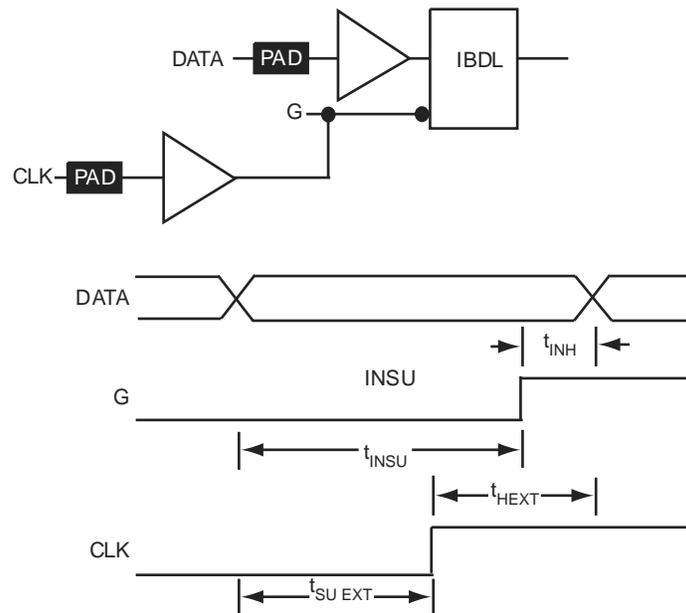


**Note:** \*D represents all data functions involving A, B, and S for multiplexed flip-flops.

### 3.10.3 Sequential Timing Characteristics

The following figures show sequential timing characteristics.

Figure 26 • Input Buffer Latches



**Table 38 • A42MX09 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 4.75 V, T<sub>J</sub> = 70°C)**

Parameter / Description		-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
<b>Input Module Propagation Delays</b>												
t <sub>INYH</sub>	Pad-to-Y HIGH		1.0		1.2		1.3		1.6		2.2	ns
t <sub>INYL</sub>	Pad-to-Y LOW		0.8		0.9		1.0		1.2		1.7	ns
t <sub>INGH</sub>	G to Y HIGH		1.3		1.4		1.6		1.9		2.7	ns
t <sub>INGL</sub>	G to Y LOW		1.3		1.4		1.6		1.9		2.7	ns
<b>Input Module Predicted Routing Delays<sup>2</sup></b>												
t <sub>IRD1</sub>	FO = 1 Routing Delay		2.0		2.2		2.5		3.0		4.2	ns
t <sub>IRD2</sub>	FO = 2 Routing Delay		2.3		2.5		2.9		3.4		4.7	ns
t <sub>IRD3</sub>	FO = 3 Routing Delay		2.5		2.8		3.2		3.7		5.2	ns
t <sub>IRD4</sub>	FO = 4 Routing Delay		2.8		3.1		3.5		4.1		5.7	ns
t <sub>IRD8</sub>	FO = 8 Routing Delay		3.7		4.1		4.7		5.5		7.7	ns
<b>Global Clock Network</b>												
t <sub>CKH</sub>	Input LOW to HIGH	FO = 32	2.4		2.7		3.0		3.6		5.0	ns
		FO = 256	2.7		3.0		3.4		4.0		5.5	ns
t <sub>CKL</sub>	Input HIGH to LOW	FO = 32	3.5		3.9		4.4		5.2		7.3	ns
		FO = 256	3.9		4.3		4.9		5.7		8.0	ns
t <sub>PWH</sub>	Minimum Pulse Width HIGH	FO = 32	1.2		1.4		1.5		1.8		2.5	ns
		FO = 256	1.3		1.5		1.7		2.0		2.7	ns
t <sub>PWL</sub>	Minimum Pulse Width LOW	FO = 32	1.2		1.4		1.5		1.8		2.5	ns
		FO = 256	1.3		1.5		1.7		2.0		2.7	ns
t <sub>CKSW</sub>	Maximum Skew	FO = 32	0.3		0.3		0.4		0.5		0.6	ns
		FO = 256	0.3		0.3		0.4		0.5		0.6	ns
t <sub>SUEXT</sub>	Input Latch External Set-Up	FO = 32	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	ns
		FO = 256	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	ns
t <sub>HEXT</sub>	Input Latch External Hold	FO = 32	2.3		2.6		3.0		3.5		4.9	ns
		FO = 256	2.2		2.4		3.3		3.9		5.5	ns
t <sub>P</sub>	Minimum Period	FO = 32	3.4		3.7		4.0		4.7		7.8	ns
		FO = 256	3.7		4.1		4.5		5.2		8.6	ns
f <sub>MAX</sub>	Maximum Frequency	FO = 32	296		269		247		215		129	MHz
		FO = 256	268		244		224		195		117	MHz

**Table 42 • A42MX24 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 4.75 V, T<sub>J</sub> = 70°C)**

Parameter / Description	-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
<b>Input Module Propagation Delays</b>											
t <sub>INPY</sub>	Input Data Pad-to-Y		1.0	1.1	1.3	1.5	2.1			ns	
t <sub>INGO</sub>	Input Latch Gate-to-Output		1.3	1.4	1.6	1.9	2.6			ns	
t <sub>INH</sub>	Input Latch Hold		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0			ns	
t <sub>INSU</sub>	Input Latch Set-Up		0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.0			ns	
t <sub>ILA</sub>	Latch Active Pulse Width		4.7	5.2	5.9	6.9	9.7			ns	

**Table 42 • A42MX24 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 4.75 V, T<sub>J</sub> = 70°C)**

Parameter / Description		-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
<b>Input Module Predicted Routing Delays<sup>2</sup></b>												
t <sub>IRD1</sub>	FO = 1 Routing Delay		1.8	2.0		2.3		2.7		3.8		ns
t <sub>IRD2</sub>	FO = 2 Routing Delay		2.1	2.3		2.6		3.1		4.3		ns
t <sub>IRD3</sub>	FO = 3 Routing Delay		2.3	2.5		2.9		3.4		4.8		ns
t <sub>IRD4</sub>	FO = 4 Routing Delay		2.5	2.8		3.2		3.7		5.2		ns
t <sub>IRD8</sub>	FO = 8 Routing Delay		3.4	3.8		4.3		5.1		7.1		ns
<b>Global Clock Network</b>												
t <sub>CKH</sub>	Input LOW to HIGH	FO = 32	2.6	2.9	3.3	3.9	5.4	ns				
		FO = 486	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.3	5.9	ns				
t <sub>CKL</sub>	Input HIGH to LOW	FO = 32	3.7	4.1	4.6	5.4	7.6	ns				
		FO = 486	4.3	4.7	5.4	6.3	8.8	ns				
t <sub>PWH</sub>	Minimum Pulse Width HIGH	FO = 32	2.2	2.4	2.7	3.2	4.5	ns				
		FO = 486	2.4	2.6	3.0	3.5	4.9	ns				
t <sub>PWL</sub>	Minimum Pulse Width LOW	FO = 32	2.2	2.4	2.7	3.2	4.5	ns				
		FO = 486	2.4	2.6	3.0	3.5	4.9	ns				
t <sub>CKSW</sub>	Maximum Skew	FO = 32	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.1	ns				
		FO = 486	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.1	ns				
t <sub>SUEXT</sub>	Input Latch External Set-Up	FO = 32	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns				
		FO = 486	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns				
t <sub>HEXT</sub>	Input Latch External Hold	FO = 32	2.8	3.1	3.5	4.1	5.7	ns				
		FO = 486	3.3	3.7	4.2	4.9	6.9	ns				
t <sub>P</sub>	Minimum Period (1/f <sub>MAX</sub> )	FO = 32	4.7	5.2	5.7	6.5	10.9	ns				
		FO = 486	5.1	5.7	6.2	7.1	11.9	ns				

**Table 42 • A42MX24 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 4.75 V, T<sub>J</sub> = 70°C)**

Parameter / Description	-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
<b>TTL Output Module Timing<sup>5</sup></b>											
t <sub>DLH</sub>	Data-to-Pad HIGH	2.4	2.7	3.1	3.6	5.1	ns				
t <sub>DHL</sub>	Data-to-Pad LOW	2.8	3.2	3.6	4.2	5.9	ns				
t <sub>ENZH</sub>	Enable Pad Z to HIGH	2.5	2.8	3.2	3.8	5.3	ns				
t <sub>ENZL</sub>	Enable Pad Z to LOW	2.8	3.1	3.5	4.2	5.9	ns				
t <sub>ENHZ</sub>	Enable Pad HIGH to Z	5.2	5.7	6.5	7.6	10.7	ns				
t <sub>ENLZ</sub>	Enable Pad LOW to Z	4.8	5.3	6.0	7.1	9.9	ns				
t <sub>GLH</sub>	G-to-Pad HIGH	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.3	6.0	ns				
t <sub>GHL</sub>	G-to-Pad LOW	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.3	6.0	ns				
t <sub>LSU</sub>	I/O Latch Output Set-Up	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.0	ns				
t <sub>LH</sub>	I/O Latch Output Hold	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns				
t <sub>LCO</sub>	I/O Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad) 32 I/O	5.6	6.1	6.9	8.1	11.4	ns				
t <sub>ACO</sub>	Array Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad) 32 I/O	10.6	11.8	13.4	15.7	22.0	ns				
d <sub>TLH</sub>	Capacitive Loading, LOW to HIGH	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.07	ns/pF				
d <sub>THL</sub>	Capacitive Loading, HIGH to LOW	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.06	ns/pF				

**Table 43 • A42MX24 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 3.3 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 3.0 V, T<sub>J</sub> = 70°C)**

Parameter / Description		-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
<b>Input Module Predicted Routing Delays<sup>2</sup></b>												
t <sub>IRD1</sub>	FO = 1 Routing Delay		2.6		2.9		3.2		3.8		5.3	ns
t <sub>IRD2</sub>	FO = 2 Routing Delay		2.9		3.2		3.6		4.3		6.0	ns
t <sub>IRD3</sub>	FO = 3 Routing Delay		3.2		3.6		4.0		4.8		6.6	ns
t <sub>IRD4</sub>	FO = 4 Routing Delay		3.5		3.9		4.4		5.2		7.3	ns
t <sub>IRD8</sub>	FO = 8 Routing Delay		4.8		5.3		6.1		7.1		10.0	ns
<b>Global Clock Network</b>												
t <sub>CKH</sub>	Input LOW to HIGH	FO = 32	4.4		4.8		5.5		6.5		9.1	ns
		FO = 486	4.8		5.3		6.0		7.1		10.0	ns
t <sub>CKL</sub>	Input HIGH to LOW	FO = 32	5.1		5.7		6.4		7.6		10.6	ns
		FO = 486	6.0		6.6		7.5		8.8		12.4	ns
t <sub>PWH</sub>	Minimum Pulse Width HIGH	FO = 32	3.0		3.3		3.8		4.5		6.3	ns
		FO = 486	3.3		3.7		4.2		4.9		6.9	ns
t <sub>PWL</sub>	Minimum Pulse Width LOW	FO = 32	3.0		3.4		3.8		4.5		6.3	ns
		FO = 486	3.3		3.7		4.2		4.9		6.9	ns
t <sub>CKSW</sub>	Maximum Skew	FO = 32	0.8		0.8		1.0		1.1		1.6	ns
		FO = 486	0.8		0.8		1.0		1.1		1.6	ns
t <sub>SUEXT</sub>	Input Latch External Set-Up	FO = 32	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	ns
		FO = 486	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	ns
<b>TTL Output Module Timing<sup>5</sup></b>												
t <sub>DLH</sub>	Data-to-Pad HIGH		3.4		3.8		4.3		5.0		7.1	ns
t <sub>DHL</sub>	Data-to-Pad LOW		4.0		4.4		5.0		5.9		8.3	ns
t <sub>ENZH</sub>	Enable Pad Z to HIGH		3.6		4.0		4.5		5.3		7.4	ns
t <sub>ENZL</sub>	Enable Pad Z to LOW		3.9		4.4		5.0		5.8		8.2	ns
t <sub>ENHZ</sub>	Enable Pad HIGH to Z		7.2		8.0		9.1		10.7		14.9	ns
t <sub>ENLZ</sub>	Enable Pad LOW to Z		6.7		7.5		8.5		9.9		13.9	ns
t <sub>GLH</sub>	G-to-Pad HIGH		4.8		5.3		6.0		7.2		10.0	ns
t <sub>GHL</sub>	G-to-Pad LOW		4.8		5.3		6.0		7.2		10.0	ns
t <sub>LSU</sub>	I/O Latch Output Set-Up		0.7		0.7		0.8		1.0		1.4	ns

**Table 43 • A42MX24 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 3.3 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 3.0 V, T<sub>J</sub> = 70°C)**

Parameter / Description	-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
<b>TTL Output Module Timing<sup>5</sup> (continued)</b>											
t <sub>LH</sub>	I/O Latch Output Hold	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns
t <sub>LCO</sub>	I/O Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad) 32 I/O	7.7	8.5	9.6	11.3	15.9					ns
t <sub>ACO</sub>	Array Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad) 32 I/O	14.8	16.5	18.7	22.0	30.8					ns
d <sub>TLH</sub>	Capacitive Loading, LOW to HIGH	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.10					ns/pF
d <sub>THL</sub>	Capacitive Loading, HIGH to LOW	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.08					ns/pF
<b>CMOS Output Module Timing<sup>5</sup></b>											
t <sub>DLH</sub>	Data-to-Pad HIGH	4.8	5.3	5.5	6.4	9.0					ns
t <sub>DHL</sub>	Data-to-Pad LOW	3.5	3.9	4.1	4.9	6.8					ns
t <sub>ENZH</sub>	Enable Pad Z to HIGH	3.6	4.0	4.5	5.3	7.4					ns
t <sub>ENZL</sub>	Enable Pad Z to LOW	3.4	4.0	5.0	5.8	8.2					ns
t <sub>ENHZ</sub>	Enable Pad HIGH to Z	7.2	8.0	9.0	10.7	14.9					ns
t <sub>ENLZ</sub>	Enable Pad LOW to Z	6.7	7.5	8.5	9.9	13.9					ns
t <sub>GLH</sub>	G-to-Pad HIGH	6.8	7.6	8.6	10.1	14.2					ns
t <sub>GHL</sub>	G-to-Pad LOW	6.8	7.6	8.6	10.1	14.2					ns
t <sub>LSU</sub>	I/O Latch Set-Up	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.4					ns
t <sub>LH</sub>	I/O Latch Hold	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0					ns
t <sub>LCO</sub>	I/O Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad) 32 I/O	7.7	8.5	9.6	11.3	15.9					ns
t <sub>ACO</sub>	Array Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad) 32 I/O	14.8	16.5	18.7	22.0	30.8					ns
d <sub>TLH</sub>	Capacitive Loading, LOW to HIGH	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.10					ns/pF
d <sub>THL</sub>	Capacitive Loading, HIGH to LOW	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.08					ns/pF
t <sub>HEXT</sub>	Input Latch External Hold	FO = 32 FO = 486	3.9 4.6	4.3 5.2	4.9 5.8	5.7 6.9	8.1 9.6				ns ns
t <sub>P</sub>	Minimum Period (1/f <sub>MAX</sub> )	FO = 32 FO = 486	7.8 8.6	8.7 9.5	9.5 10.4	10.8 11.9	18.2 19.9				ns ns

1. For dual-module macros, use t<sub>PD1</sub> + t<sub>RD1</sub> + t<sub>PDn</sub>, t<sub>CO</sub> + t<sub>RD1</sub> + t<sub>PDn</sub>, or t<sub>PD1</sub> + t<sub>RD1</sub> + t<sub>SUD</sub>, whichever is appropriate.
2. Routing delays are for typical designs across worst-case operating conditions. These parameters should be used for estimating device performance. Post-route timing analysis or simulation is required to determine actual performance.
3. Data applies to macros based on the S-module. Timing parameters for sequential macros constructed from C-modules can be obtained from the Timer utility.
4. Set-up and hold timing parameters for the Input Buffer Latch are defined with respect to the PAD and the D input. External setup/hold timing parameters must account for delay from an external PAD signal to the G inputs. Delay from an external PAD signal to the G input subtracts (adds) to the internal setup (hold) time.
5. Delays based on 35 pF loading.

**Table 44 • A42MX36 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 4.75 V, T<sub>J</sub> = 70°C)**

Parameter / Description			-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
			Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
t <sub>SUEXT</sub>	Input Latch External Set-Up	FO = 32	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns	
		FO = 635	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns	
t <sub>HEXT</sub>	Input Latch External Hold	FO = 32	2.8	3.2	3.6	4.2	4.2	4.9	5.9	6.9	ns	ns	
		FO = 635	3.3	3.7	4.2	4.9	5.9	6.9	ns	ns			
t <sub>P</sub>	Minimum Period (1/f <sub>MAX</sub> )	FO = 32	5.5	6.1	6.6	7.6	12.7	ns	ns				
		FO = 635	6.0	6.6	7.2	8.3	13.8	ns	ns				
f <sub>MAX</sub>	Maximum Datapath Frequency	FO = 32	180	164	151	131	79	MHz					
		FO = 635	166	151	139	121	73	MHz					
<b>TTL Output Module Timing<sup>5</sup></b>													
t <sub>DLH</sub>	Data-to-Pad HIGH		2.6	2.8	3.2	3.8	5.3	ns					
t <sub>DHL</sub>	Data-to-Pad LOW		3.0	3.3	3.7	4.4	6.2	ns					
t <sub>ENZH</sub>	Enable Pad Z to HIGH		2.7	3.0	3.3	3.9	5.5	ns					
t <sub>ENZL</sub>	Enable Pad Z to LOW		3.0	3.3	3.7	4.3	6.1	ns					
t <sub>ENHZ</sub>	Enable Pad HIGH to Z		5.3	5.8	6.6	7.8	10.9	ns					

Input, output, tristate or bidirectional buffer. Input and output levels are compatible with standard TTL and CMOS specifications. Unused I/Os pins are configured by the Designer software as shown in Table 46, page 84.

**Table 46 • Configuration of Unused I/Os**

Device	Configuration
A40MX02, A40MX04	Pulled LOW
A42MX09, A42MX16	Pulled LOW
A42MX24, A42MX36	Tristated

In all cases, it is recommended to tie all unused MX I/O pins to LOW on the board. This applies to all dual-purpose pins when configured as I/Os as well.

#### **LP, Low Power Mode**

Controls the low power mode of all 42MX devices. The device is placed in the low power mode by connecting the LP pin to logic HIGH. In low power mode, all I/Os are tristated, all input buffers are turned OFF, and the core of the device is turned OFF. To exit the low power mode, the LP pin must be set LOW. The device enters the low power mode 800 ns after the LP pin is driven to a logic HIGH. It will resume normal operation in 200  $\mu$ s after the LP pin is driven to a logic LOW.

#### **MODE, Mode**

Controls the use of multifunction pins (DCLK, PRA, PRB, SDI, TDO). The MODE pin is held HIGH to provide verification capability. The MODE pin should be terminated to GND through a 10k $\Omega$  resistor so that the MODE pin can be pulled HIGH when required.

#### **NC, No Connection**

This pin is not connected to circuitry within the device. These pins can be driven to any voltage or can be left floating with no effect on the operation of the device.

#### **PRA, I/O**

#### **PRB, I/OProbe A/B**

The Probe pin is used to output data from any user-defined design node within the device. Each diagnostic pin can be used in conjunction with the other probe pin to allow real-time diagnostic output of any signal path within the device. The Probe pin can be used as a user-defined I/O when verification has been completed. The pin's probe capabilities can be permanently disabled to protect programmed design confidentiality. The Probe pin is accessible when the MODE pin is HIGH. This pin functions as an I/O when the MODE pin is LOW.

#### **QCLKA/B/C/D, I/O Quadrant Clock**

Quadrant clock inputs for A42MX36 devices. When not used as a register control signal, these pins can function as user I/Os.

#### **SDI, I/O Serial Data Input**

Serial data input for diagnostic probe and device programming. SDI is active when the MODE pin is HIGH. This pin functions as an I/O when the MODE pin is LOW.

#### **SDO, I/O Serial Data Output**

Serial data output for diagnostic probe and device programming. SDO is active when the MODE pin is HIGH. This pin functions as an I/O when the MODE pin is LOW. SDO is available for 42MX devices only.

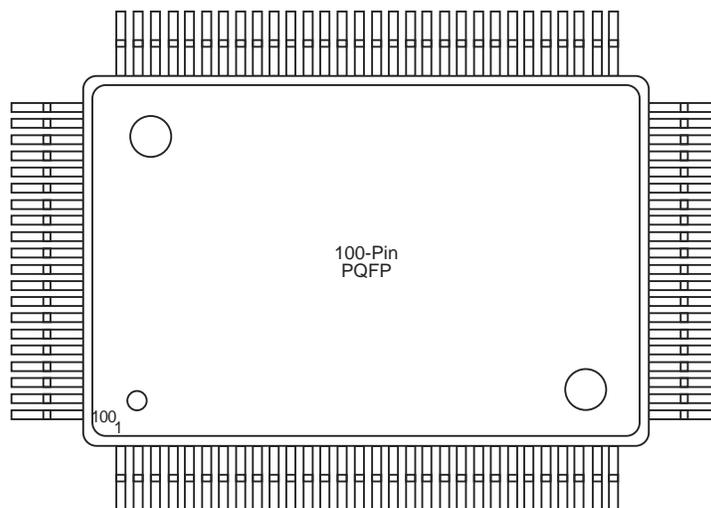
When Silicon Explorer II is being used, SDO will act as an output while the "checksum" command is run. It will return to user I/O when "checksum" is complete.

#### **TCK, I/O Test Clock**

**Table 49 • PL84**

<b>PL84</b>				
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A40MX04 Function</b>	<b>A42MX09 Function</b>	<b>A42MX16 Function</b>	<b>A42MX24 Function</b>
84	I/O	VCCA	VCCA	VCCA

**Figure 41 • PQ100**



**Table 50 • PQ 100**

<b>PQ100</b>				
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A40MX02 Function</b>	<b>A40MX04 Function</b>	<b>A42MX09 Function</b>	<b>A42MX16 Function</b>
1	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
2	NC	NC	DCLK, I/O	DCLK, I/O
3	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
4	NC	NC	MODE	MODE
5	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
6	PRB, I/O	PRB, I/O	I/O	I/O
7	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
8	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
9	I/O	I/O	GND	GND
10	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
11	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
12	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
13	GND	GND	I/O	I/O
14	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
15	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
16	I/O	I/O	VCCA	VCCA
17	I/O	I/O	VCCI	VCCA
18	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O

Table 50 • PQ 100

<b>PQ100</b>				
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A40MX02 Function</b>	<b>A40MX04 Function</b>	<b>A42MX09 Function</b>	<b>A42MX16 Function</b>
19	VCC	V <sub>CC</sub>	I/O	I/O
20	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
21	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
22	I/O	I/O	GND	GND
23	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
24	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
25	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
26	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
27	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
28	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
29	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
30	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
31	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O
32	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O
33	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O
34	I/O	I/O	GND	GND
35	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
36	GND	GND	I/O	I/O
37	GND	GND	I/O	I/O
38	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
39	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
40	I/O	I/O	VCCA	VCCA
41	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
42	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
43	VCC	VCC	I/O	I/O
44	VCC	VCC	I/O	I/O
45	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
46	I/O	I/O	GND	GND
47	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O
48	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O
49	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O
50	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O
51	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
52	NC	NC	SDO, I/O	SDO, I/O
53	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
54	NC	NC	I/O	I/O
55	NC	NC	I/O	I/O

**Table 52 • PQ160**

<b>PQ160</b>			
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A42MX09 Function</b>	<b>A42MX16 Function</b>	<b>A42MX24 Function</b>
58	VCCI	VCCI	VCCI
59	GND	GND	GND
60	VCCA	VCCA	VCCA
61	LP	LP	LP
62	I/O	I/O	TCK, I/O
63	I/O	I/O	I/O
64	GND	GND	GND
65	I/O	I/O	I/O
66	I/O	I/O	I/O
67	I/O	I/O	I/O
68	I/O	I/O	I/O
69	GND	GND	GND
70	NC	I/O	I/O
71	I/O	I/O	I/O
72	I/O	I/O	I/O
73	I/O	I/O	I/O
74	I/O	I/O	I/O
75	NC	I/O	I/O
76	I/O	I/O	I/O
77	NC	I/O	I/O
78	I/O	I/O	I/O
79	NC	I/O	I/O
80	GND	GND	GND
81	I/O	I/O	I/O
82	SDO, I/O	SDO, I/O	SDO, TDO, I/O
83	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
84	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
85	I/O	I/O	I/O
86	NC	VCCI	VCCI
87	I/O	I/O	I/O
88	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
89	GND	GND	GND
90	NC	I/O	I/O
91	I/O	I/O	I/O
92	I/O	I/O	I/O
93	I/O	I/O	I/O
94	I/O	I/O	I/O

**Table 57 • TQ176**

<b>TQ176</b>			
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A42MX09 Function</b>	<b>A42MX16 Function</b>	<b>A42MX24 Function</b>
10	NC	I/O	I/O
11	NC	I/O	I/O
12	I/O	I/O	I/O
13	NC	VCCA	VCCA
14	I/O	I/O	I/O
15	I/O	I/O	I/O
16	I/O	I/O	I/O
17	I/O	I/O	I/O
18	GND	GND	GND
19	NC	I/O	I/O
20	NC	I/O	I/O
21	I/O	I/O	I/O
22	NC	I/O	I/O
23	GND	GND	GND
24	NC	VCCI	VCCI
25	VCCA	VCCA	VCCA
26	NC	I/O	I/O
27	NC	I/O	I/O
28	VCCI	VCCA	VCCA
29	NC	I/O	I/O
30	I/O	I/O	I/O
31	I/O	I/O	I/O
32	I/O	I/O	I/O
33	NC	NC	I/O
34	I/O	I/O	I/O
35	I/O	I/O	I/O
36	I/O	I/O	I/O
37	NC	I/O	I/O
38	NC	NC	I/O
39	I/O	I/O	I/O
40	I/O	I/O	I/O
41	I/O	I/O	I/O
42	I/O	I/O	I/O
43	I/O	I/O	I/O
44	I/O	I/O	I/O
45	GND	GND	GND
46	I/O	I/O	TMS, I/O

**Table 59 • CQ256**

<b>CQ256</b>	
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A42MX36 Function</b>
22	I/O
23	I/O
24	I/O
25	I/O
26	VCCA
27	I/O
28	I/O
29	VCCA
30	VCCI
31	GND
32	VCCA
33	LP
34	TCK, I/O
35	I/O
36	GND
37	I/O
38	I/O
39	I/O
40	I/O
41	I/O
42	I/O
43	I/O
44	I/O
45	I/O
46	I/O
47	I/O
48	GND
49	I/O
50	I/O
51	I/O
52	I/O
53	I/O
54	I/O
55	I/O
56	I/O
57	I/O
58	I/O

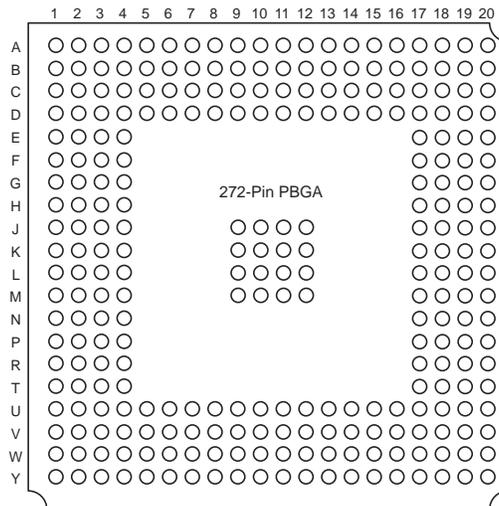
**Table 59 • CQ256**

<b>CQ256</b>	
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A42MX36 Function</b>
96	VCCA
97	GND
98	GND
99	I/O
100	I/O
101	I/O
102	I/O
103	I/O
104	I/O
105	WD, I/O
106	WD, I/O
107	I/O
108	I/O
109	WD, I/O
110	WD, I/O
111	I/O
112	QCLKA, I/O
113	I/O
114	GND
115	I/O
116	I/O
117	I/O
118	I/O
119	VCCI
120	I/O
121	WD, I/O
122	WD, I/O
123	I/O
124	I/O
125	I/O
126	I/O
127	GND
128	NC
129	NC
130	NC
131	GND
132	I/O

**Table 59 • CQ256**

<b>CQ256</b>	
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A42MX36 Function</b>
244	WD, I/O
245	I/O
246	I/O
247	I/O
248	VCCI
249	I/O
250	WD, I/O
251	WD, I/O
252	I/O
253	SDI, I/O
254	I/O
255	GND
256	NC

**Figure 51 • BG272**



**Table 60 • BG272**

<b>BG272</b>	
<b>Pin Number</b>	<b>A42MX36 Function</b>
A1	GND
A2	GND
A3	I/O
A4	WD, I/O
A5	I/O